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Piſa, December 1.

LAST Week the Great Duke went to Florence to ſee his Children, and returned here the next Day. His Royal Highneſs went on Saturday to Leghorn to ſee the Dutch Ships of War that have been ſome Time there, accepted of a Collation on Board one of them, dined at the Governor's, and returned here the ſame Evening. His Royal Highneſs has declared his Intention of remaining here till the End of February; and a Plan has been formed for enlarging the Palace, and to make Diſpoſitions to lodge the Young Princes.

Hamburgh, December 16. It has froze here very intenſely for theſe three Days paſt; and all Navigation to and from the Elbe is now impeded.

Hague, December 20. The Froſt, which had ſet in very hard, and ſhut up the Inland Navigation, has, all at once, left us; and the Communication is again open.

St. James's, December 21.

This Day M. Alexis Mouſſin Pouſchkin, Miniſter Plenipotentiary from the Empreſs of Ruſſia, had Audience of Leave of His Majeſty.

To which he was introduced by the Right Honourable the Earl of Rochford, one of His Majeſty's Principal Secretaries of State; and conducted by Stephen Cottrell, Eſq; Aſſiſtant Maſter of the Ceremonies.

St. James's, December 22.

This Day M. Alexis Mouſſin Pouſchkin, Miniſter Plenipotentiary from the Empreſs of Ruſſia, had Audience of Leave of Her Majeſty.

To which he was introduced by the Right Hon. the Earl De Lawarr, Lord Chamberlain to Her Majeſty, and conducted by the Aſſiſtant Maſter of the Ceremonies.

Pall-Mall, December 22.

This Day M. Alexis Mouſſin Pouſchkin, Miniſter Plenipotentiary from the Empreſs of Ruſſia, had Audience of Leave of her Royal Highneſs the Princeſs Dowager of Wales.

To which he was introduced by Stephen Cottrell, Eſq; Aſſiſtant Maſter of the Ceremonies.

[Price Three-Pence.]

East-India Houſe, December 21, 1768.

The Court of Directors of the United Company of Merchants of England trading to the Eaſt Indies do hereby give Notice,

That a General Court of the ſaid Company will be held at Merchant Taylors Hall in Threadneedle-Street, on Wedneſday the 4th Day of January next, at Eleven o'Clock in the Forenoon, on ſpecial Affairs.

Bank of England, December 16, 1768.

The Warrants for the Payment in full of the remaining Principal of the 4l. per Cent. Annuities 1763, and the Intereſt thereon, (purſuant to an Act of Parliament of the 8th of George III. for Redeeming the Remainder of the ſaid joint Stock of Annuities) will be delivered and paid on Friday January 6, 1769, and every following Day, from Nine till Eleven o'Clock, and from One till Three, Holidays excepted.

General Poſt-Office, December 17, 1768.

His Majeſty's Poſtmaſter General being deſirous to render the Six Day Poſts, which have been eſtabliſhed at a great Expence to moſt of the conſiderable Towns in England, Scotland, and Ireland, as univerſally beneficial as poſſible, have been pleaſed to order the Letter-Carriers to go round their reſpective Walks with their Bells every Night in the Week, Sundays excepted.

The many Inſtances of Letters being delayed by the Perſons entruſted to bring them to this Office on Mondays, Wedneſdays, and Fridays, as likewiſe of their not putting them into the Receiving-Houſes, in order to embezzle the Penny it has been cuſtomary to give with ſuch Letters on thoſe Days, has induced their Lordſhips to give Directions at the ſeveral Receiving-Houſes to take in, both Foreign and Inland Letters, to the uſual Hour, every Day in the Week, except Sunday, without any Gratuity.

All Perſons who may be obliged to ſend their Letters after that Hour to the Bell-Men, ſhould be cautious whom they truſt therewith, to prevent their being either detained till the next Day, or deſtroyed for the Pence.

Each Letter-Carrier will for the Future, beſides the uſual Ticket at his Breaſt, be furniſhed with a Printed one of the Hour he is daily diſpatched from hence, in order to produce it to ſuch Perſons as may deſire to be ſatisfied their Letters are not delayed.

By Command of the Poſtmaſter General,
Anth. Todd, *Secretary.*

ALL ſuch Perſons as have any Demands on the Ship Chace Price, lately commanded by William Owen, deceaſed, are deſired to ſend their Bills to Mr. John Read, of the Old Jewry, on or before the 10th Day of January next.

Surveyor-General's Office, December 23, 1768.

THE King, as Lord of the Manor of East Greenwich in the County of Kent, is entitled (among other Waſtes of the ſaid Manor) to that Part called Maidenſtone Hill, and on which the Tenants have an unſtinted Right of Common. On this Waſte the Truſtees of Morden College have lately erected Poſts, with the following Advertiſements painted upon them;

This Ground to be lett to build on, Enquire at Morden College.

The Rights of the Crown and the Commoners are well known at Greenwich, and are annually recognized by the Preſentments of the Juries, and other Proceedings at their Courts Leet and Courts Baron; and were heretofore acknowledged by Sir John Morden himſelf, under his Hand and Seal; and of late Years under the Hands of the preſent Truſtees, who have been deſired to take down the ſaid Advertiſements: And upon their Refuſal, it is thought proper to give this Publick Notice, by Way of Caution to innocent and unwary Perſons, who might be induced to contract with the Truſtees of the ſaid College for Ground which they (the Truſtees) have no Title to.

December 9, 1768.

WILLIAM Millet the Younger, of Frampton Cotterell in the County of Glouceſter, and Richard Low the Younger, of Winterbourn in the ſame County, Feltmakers, beg Leave to return Thanks to their Friends for their paſt Favours. And the ſaid William Millet doth hereby give Notice, that he has given up his Share of the Feltmaking Buſineſs to the ſaid Richard Low, and that all Monies due to him and the ſaid Richard Low on any unſettled Accounts between them and their Cuſtomers, relating to the ſaid Trade of Feltmaking, is the ſole Property of the ſaid Richard Low. And the ſaid Richard Low takes this Opportunity of acquainting his and the ſaid Mr. Millet's Friends, that he hopes for a Continuance of their Favours; and that they, and all others who ſhall pleaſe to honour him with their Commands, may depend on having their Orders well executed, and all Favours gratefully acknowledged.

Wm. Millet, jun.
Richard Low, jun.

TO be peremptorily ſold, on Tueſday the 24th Day of January next, between Four and Six in the Afternoon, purſuant to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, before Thomas Lane, Eſq; one of the Maſters of the ſaid Court, A Freehold Eſtate, conſiſting of divers Meſſuages, Farms, Lands, and Hereditaments, in the ſeveral Townſhips or Pariſhes of Bretton, Broughton, Biſtre, Hartſheath, Cumay, Llangellan, Kinnerton, and Mold, and the Townſhip of Gwernafield, in the ſeveral Counties of Denbigh and Flint, of the clear yearly Value of 325l. 4s. 3d. or thereabouts, late the Eſtate of Sir George Wynne, Bart. deceaſed. Particulars whereof may be had at the ſaid Maſter's Office in Carey-Street near Lincoln's Inn, London.

TO be ſold, entire or in Parcels, purſuant to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, before Thomas Harris, Eſq; one of the Maſters of the ſaid Court, at his Chambers in Lincoln's Inn, Sixteen Leaſehold Meſſuages, ſituate on the North Side of Bow-Street, in the Pariſh of St. Margaret Weſtminſter, with ſeveral Stables and Coach-Houſes behind the ſame, held for a long Term of Years, and now lett to ſeveral Tenants at 270l. per Annum or thereabouts, ſubject to two Ground Rents of 16l. and 18l. per Annum. Particulars may be had at the ſaid Maſter's Chambers.

PUrſuant to a Decree and General Order of Tranſfer of the High Court of Chancery, the Creditors of Herbert Palmer, late of Ripple in the County of Kent, Eſq; deceaſed, are, on or before the 13th Day of February next, to come in and prove their Debts before Robert Pratt, Eſq; one of the Maſters of the ſaid Court, at his Chambers in Symond's Inn in Chancery Lane, London, or in Default thereof they will be peremptorily excluded all Benefit of the ſaid Decree.

PUrſuant to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, the Creditors of John Trible, late of the Pariſh of St. Ann Weſtminſter in the County of Middleſex, Jeweller, deceaſed, are, on or before the 13th Day of February next, to come in and prove their Debts before Robert Pratt, Eſq; one of the Maſters of the ſaid Court, at his Chambers in Symond's Inn in Chancery Lane, London, or in Default thereof they will be peremptorily excluded the Benefit of the ſaid Decree.

PUrſuant to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, the Creditors of Sir Samuel Lennard, late of Weſt Wickham in the County of Kent, Bart. deceaſed, are, on or before the 12th Day of February next, to come in and prove their Debts before Edward Montagu, Eſq; one of the Maſters of the ſaid Court, at his Chambers in Symond's Inn Chancery-Lane, London, or in Default thereof they will be peremptorily excluded all Benefit of the ſaid Decree.

PUrſuant to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, the Creditors of Sir Stephen Lennard, formerly of Weſt Wickham in the County of Kent, Bart. deceaſed, are, on or before the 12th Day of February next, to come in and prove their Debts before Edward Montagu, Eſq; one of the Maſters of the ſaid Court, at his Chambers in Symond's Inn Chancery Lane, London, or in Default thereof they will be peremptorily excluded all Benefit of the ſaid Decree.

PUrſuant to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, the Creditors of Lawrence Williams, late of Putney in the County of Surry, Eſq; deceaſed, are forthwith to come in and prove their Debts before Thomas Cuddon, Eſq; one of the Maſters of the ſaid Court, at his Chambers in Symond's Inn Chancery Lane, London, or in Default thereof they will be excluded the Benefit of the ſaid Decree.

PUrſuant to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, the Creditors of William Garrard Galpine, late of the Iſland of Jamaica, Merchant, deceaſed, are forthwith to come in and prove their Debts before Thomas Cuddon, Eſq; one of the Maſters of the ſaid Court, at his Chambers in Symond's Inn Chancery-Lane, London, or in Default thereof they will be excluded the Benefit of the ſaid Decree.

PUrſuant to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, the Creditors of Joanna Garrard, late of Croydon in the County of Surry, Widow, deceaſed, are forthwith to come in and prove their Debts before Thomas Cuddon, Eſq; one of the Maſters of the ſaid Court, at his Chambers in Symond's Inn Chancery-Lane, London, or in Default thereof they will be excluded the Benefit of the ſaid Decree.

WHereas Elizabeth Wilkinſon, of the City of Cheſter, Widow, hath aſſigned over all her Eſtate and Effects to Truſtees for the Benefit of all her Creditors: Notice is therefore hereby given, that the ſaid Truſtees intend to meet on Tueſday the 10th Day of January next, by Ten o'Clock in the Forenoon, at the Houſe of Mrs. Bird, the Golden Talbot in the ſaid City, in order to make a Final Dividend of the ſaid Elizabeth Wilkinſon's Eſtate and Effects; when and where the Creditors, who have not proved their Debts, are to come prepared to prove the ſame, or they will be excluded the Benefit of the ſaid Dividend.

THE Creditors of Joſeph Harris, late of Taviſtock-Row, Covent-Garden, Hoſier, may receive a Dividend of Six Shillings and Eight Pence in the Pound, by applying to Mr. Henry Townley Ward, Attorney, in Taviſtock-Row, any Day (Sundays excepted) from the 26th Day of December Inſtant to the 23d Day of January next, between the Hours of Nine and Eleven in the Morning: And ſuch of the ſaid Creditors, who have not yet executed the Deed of Aſſignment, may execute the ſame by applying to the ſaid Mr. Ward before the ſaid 23d Day of January, and they will be intitled to the ſaid Dividend, and to ſuch further Dividend as may hereafter be made of the ſaid Joſeph Harris's Effects.

THE Creditors who have proved their Debts under a Commiſſion of Bankrupt awarded and iſſued againſt Fenwick Stow, of the Town and Borough of Berwick upon Tweed, Merchant, Dealer and Chapman, are deſired to meet the Aſſignees of the ſaid Bankrupt's Eſtate, at the Town-Hall in Berwick aforeſaid, on Saturday the 14th Day of January next, at Eleven o'Clock in the Forenoon, in order to impower the ſaid Aſſignees to commence and defend any Suit or Suits at Law or in Equity touching the ſaid Bankrupt's Eſtate and Effects; and alſo for compounding, ſubmitting to Arbitration, or otherwiſe agreeing, any Diſpute relating thereto.

THE Creditors who have proved their Debts under a Commiſſion of Bankrupt awarded and iſſued forth againſt David Stubley, late of Lemon-Street Goodman's-Fields in the County of Middleſex, Upholſterer, Dealer and Chapman, are deſired to meet the Aſſignees of the ſaid Bankrupt's Eſtate and Effects, on Monday next the 26th Inſtant, at Four o'Clock in the Afternoon, at the King's Head Tovern, the Corner of Chancery-Lane, Fleet-Street, in order to aſſent to or diſſent from the ſaid Aſſignees commencing, proſecuting, or defending any Suit or Suits at Law or in Equity for Recovery of any Part of the ſaid Bankrupt's Eſtate and Effects; and alſo to their compounding, ſubmitting to Arbitration, or otherwiſe agreeing, any Matter or Thing relating thereto; and on other ſpecial Affairs.

PUrſuant to an Order made by the Right Honourable Charles Lord Camden, Lord High Chancellor of Great Britain, for Enlarging the Time for Silas Jopling, late of Waltham Abbey in the County of Eſſex, Carpenter, Dealer and Chapman, (a Bankrupt) to ſurrender himſelf, and make a full Diſcovery and Diſcloſure of his Eſtate and Effects, for 28 Days, to be computed from the 27th Day of December inſtant; This is to give Notice, that the Commiſſioners in the ſaid Commiſſion named and authorized, or the major Part of them, will meet on the 24th Day of January next, at Four o'Clock in the Afternoon, at Guildhall, London; when and where the ſaid Bankrupt is required to ſurrender himſelf, and make a full Diſcovery and Diſcloſure of his Eſtate and Effects, and finiſh his Examination; and the Creditors, who have not already proved

proved their Debts, may then and there come and prove the ſame, and aſſent to or diſſent from the Allowance of his Certificate.

WHereas a Commiſſion of Bankrupt is awarded and iſſued forth againſt Edward Bennett, of Lombard-Street in London, Jeweller and Goldſmith, and he being declared a Bankrupt, is hereby required to ſurrender himſelf to the Commiſſioners in the ſaid Commiſſion named, or the major Part of them, on the 16th and 17th Days of January next, and on the 4th Day of February following, at Ten of the Clock in the Forenoon of each of the ſaid Days, at the Dwelling-Houſe of John Meredith, Innholder, ſituate in Birmingham in the County of Warwick, and make a full Diſcovery and Diſcloſure of his Eſtate and Effects; when and where the Creditors are to come prepared to prove their Debts, and at the Second Sitting to chooſe Aſſignees, and at the laſt Sitting the ſaid Bankrupt is required to finiſh his Examination, and the Creditors are to aſſent to or diſſent from the Allowance of his Certificate. All Perſons indebted to the ſaid Bankrupt, or that have any of his Effects, are not to pay or deliver the ſame but to whom the Commiſſioners ſhall appoint, but give Notice to Mr. John Meredith, Attorney, in Birmingham.

WHereas a Commiſſion of Bankrupt is awarded and iſſued forth againſt Eleanor Haydon, of Stoke Damerell in the County of Devon, Haberdaſher of Small Wares, and Dealer, and ſhe being declared a Bankrupt, is hereby required to ſurrender herſelf to the Commiſſioners in the ſaid Commiſſion named, or the major Part of them, on the 16th and 17th Days of January next, and on the 4th Day of February following, at Three of the Clock in the Afternoon, on each of the ſaid Days, at the Houſe of John Swales, called Swales Wine-Cellar, in the City of Exeter, and make a full Diſcovery and Diſcloſure of her Eſtate and Effects; when and where the Creditors are to come prepared to prove their Debts, and at the Second Sitting to chuſe Aſſignees, and at the laſt Sitting the ſaid Bankrupt is required to finiſh her Examination, and the Creditors are to aſſent to or diſſent from the Allowance of her Certificate. All Perſons indebted to the ſaid Bankrupt, or that have any of her Effects, are not to pay or deliver the ſame but to whom the Commiſſioners ſhall appoint, but give Notice to Mr. William Williams, Attorney, in Exeter.

WHereas a Commiſſion of Bankrupt is awarded and iſſued forth againſt Joſeph Holland, of the Town and County of the Town of Nottingham, Hoſier and Woolcomber, and he being declared a Bankrupt, is hereby required to ſurrender himſelf to the Commiſſioners in the ſaid Commiſſion named, or the major Part of them, on the 6th and 23d Days of January next, and on the 4th Day of February following, at Eleven o'Clock in the Forenoon, on each of the ſaid Days, at the Houſe of James Clarke, the Sign of the Feathers, in the ſaid Town and County of the Town of Nottingham, and make a full Diſcovery and Diſcloſure of his Eſtate and Effects; when and where the Creditors are to come prepared to prove their Debts, and at the Second Sitting to chooſe Aſſignees, and at the laſt Sitting the ſaid Bankrupt is required to finiſh his Examination, and the Creditors are to aſſent to or diſſent from the Allowance of his Certificate. All Perſons indebted to the ſaid Bankrupt, or that have any of his Effects, are not to pay or deliver the ſame but to whom the Commiſſioners ſhall appoint, but give Notice to Lemuel Lowe, Attorney, in Nottingham aforeſaid.

WHereas a Commiſſion of Bankrupt is awarded and iſſued forth againſt Thomas Chapman, of Croydon in the County of Surry, Miller, Dealer and Chapman, and he being declared a Bankrupt, is hereby required to ſurrender himſelf to the Commiſſioners in the ſaid Commiſſion named, or the major Part of them, on the 27th Day of December inſtant at Five of the Clock in the Afternoon, on the 14th Day of January next at Ten of the Clock in the Forenoon, and on the 4th Day of February following at Four of the Clock in the Afternoon, at Guildhall, London, and make a full Diſcovery and Diſcloſure of his Eſtate and Effects; when and where the Creditors are to come prepared to prove their Debts, and at the Second Sitting to chooſe Aſſignees, and at the laſt Sitting the ſaid Bankrupt is required to finiſh his Examination, and the Creditors are to aſſent to or diſſent from the Allowance of his Certificate. All Perſons indebted to the ſaid Bankrupt, or that have any of his Effects, are not to pay or deliver the ſame but to whom the Commiſſioners ſhall appoint, but give Notice to Mr. Ewer, in Eaſt-Lane, Rotherhithe.

WHereas a Commiſſion of Bankrupt is awarded and iſſued forth againſt George Graham, of the Liberty of Norton Falgate in the County of Middleſex, Grocer, Dealer and Chapman, and he being declared a Bankrupt, is hereby required to ſurrender himſelf to the Commiſſioners in the ſaid Commiſſion named, or the major Part of them, on the 31ſt Day of December inſtant, and on the 11th Day of January next, at Ten o'Clock in the Forenoon, and on the 4th Day of February following at Five in the Afternoon, at Guildhall, London, and make a full Diſcovery and Diſcloſure of his Eſtate and Effects; when and where the Creditors are to come prepared to prove their Debts, and at the Second Sitting to chooſe Aſſignees, and at the laſt Sitting the ſaid Bankrupt is required to finiſh his Examination, and the Creditors are to aſſent to or diſſent from the Allowance of his Certificate. All Perſons indebted to the ſaid Bankrupt, or that have any of his Effects, are not to pay or deliver the ſame but to whom the Commiſſioners ſhall appoint, but give Notice to Mr. Kation, Attorney, No 8, Primroſe-Street, Biſhopſgate-Street, London.

WHereas a Commiſſion of Bankrupt is awarded and iſſued forth againſt John Riding, of the Pariſh of St. George in the Eaſt in the County of Middleſex, Lighterman, Dealer in Coals, and Chapman, and he being declared a Bankrupt, is hereby required to ſurrender himſelf to the Commiſſioners in the ſaid Commiſſion named, or the major Part of them, on the 17th Day of January next at Ten of the Clock in the Forenoon, on the 14th Day of the ſame Month, and on the 4th Day of February following, at Four o'Clock in the Afternoon, at Guildhall, London, and make a full Diſcovery and Diſcloſure of his Eſtate and Effects; when and where the Creditors are to come prepared to prove their Debts, and at the Second Sitting to chuſe Aſſignees, and at the laſt Sitting the ſaid Bankrupt is required to finiſh his Examination, and the Creditors are to aſſent to or diſſent from the Allowance of his Certificate. All Perſons indebted to the ſaid Bankrupt, or that have any of his Effects, are not to pay or deliver the ſame but to whom the Commiſſioners ſhall appoint, but give Notice to Mr. Geldard, Staples Inn, London.

WHereas a Commiſſion of Bankrupt is awarded and iſſued forth againſt William Haigh, late of the Town and County of Nottingham, Tanner, Dealer and Chapman, and he being declared a Bankrupt, is hereby required to ſurrender himſelf to the Commiſſioners in the ſaid Commiſſion named, or the major Part of them, on the 27th Day of December inſtant, on the 3d Day of January next, and on the 4th Day of February following, at Five o'Clock in the Afternoon, on each of the ſaid Days, at Guildhall, London, and make a full Diſcovery and Diſcloſure of his Eſtate and Effects; when and where the Creditors are to come prepared to prove their Debts, and at the Second Sitting to chooſe Aſſignees, and at the laſt Sitting the ſaid Bankrupt is required to finiſh his Examination, and the Creditors are to aſſent to or diſſent from the Allowance of his Certificate. All Perſons indebted to the ſaid Bankrupt, or that have any of his Effects, are not to pay or deliver the ſame but to whom the Commiſſioners ſhall appoint.

WHereas a Commiſſion of Bankrupt is awarded and iſſued forth againſt Robert Riſt, of Coggleſhall in the County of Eſſex, Bays-maker, Dealer and Chapman, and he being declared a Bankrupt, is hereby required to ſurrender himſelf to the Commiſſioners in the ſaid Commiſſion named, or the major Part of them, on the 7th and 13th Days of January next, and on the 4th Day of February following, at Four of the Clock in the Afternoon, on each of the ſaid Days, at Guildhall, London, and make a full Diſcovery and Diſcloſure of his Eſtate and Effects; when and where the Creditors are to come prepared to prove their Debts, and at the Second Sitting to chuſe Aſſignees, and at the laſt Sitting the ſaid Bankrupt is required to finiſh his Examination, and the Creditors are to aſſent to or diſſent from the Allowance of his Certificate. All Perſons indebted to the ſaid Bankrupt, or that have any of his Effects, are not to pay or deliver the ſame but to whom the Commiſſioners ſhall appoint, but give Notice to Mr. Winbolt, in Tokenhouſe-Yard, London.

THE Commiſſioners in a Commiſſion of Bankrupt awarded and iſſued forth againſt Charles Croftes, of London, Merchant, as Partner with Peter Haſenclever and Andrew Seton, late of the ſame Place, Merchants, met on the 20th Day of December, at Guildhall, London, (purſuant to Notice in the London Gazette) for the Choice of an Aſſignee or Aſſignees of the ſaid Bankrupt's Eſtate and Effects; when, at the Deſire of the Creditors then preſent, the ſaid Choice was adjourned to Saturday the 14th Day of January next, at Ten o'Clock in the Forenoon, at Guildhall, London.

THE Commiſſioners in a Commiſſion of Bankrupt awarded and iſſued againſt Joſeph Towſe, late of Knowle Green near Staines in the County of Middleſex, Farmer, Dealer and Chapman, met on the 20th Day of December inſtant, at Guildhall, London, for the Proof of Debts and Choice of Aſſignees, purſuant to Notice in the London Gazette for that Purpoſe given; but, at the Requeſt of the Creditors then preſent, the ſaid Choice is put off to the 14th Day of January next, at Ten of the Clock in the Forenoon, at Guildhall, London; when and where the Creditors, who have not already proved their Debts, are deſired to attend, and thoſe who have not, may then and there come and prove the ſame, and chooſe Aſſignees accordingly.

THE Commiſſioners in a Commiſſion of Bankrupt awarded and iſſued forth againſt Joſeph Aſtey, now or late of the Pariſh of St. Luke in the County of Middleſex, Bricklayer, Dealer and Chapman, met on the 23d Day of December inſtant, at Guildhall, London, for the Proof of Debts and Choice